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On the Hecke algebra of a type for unramified p -adic unitary groups

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ABSTRACT

Let F be a non-archimedean local field of odd residue characteristic equipped with a galois involution with fixed field F_0 , and let G be a symplectic group over F or an unramified unitary group over F_0 . For a simple type (J_p, λ_p) in G , which is a G -cover, associated to a certain simple stratum, we show that the corresponding Hecke algebra $\mathcal{H}(G, \lambda_p)$ is generic.

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Introduction

Let F be a non-archimedean local field, and G the F -rational points in a connected reductive group defined over F . By a theorem of Bersntein in [1], the category $\mathcal{R}(G)$ of complex smooth representations of G is decomposed into an infinite product of full subcategories, called Bernstein blocks, which are determined by the inertial classes of pairs (M, π) consisting of a Levi subgroup M of G and an irreducible supercuspidal representation π of M . By the theory of types, due to Bushnell and Kutzko [3], up to conjugation by G , each Bernstein block corresponds to a unique pair (K, ρ) , called a type, which consists of a compact open subgroup K of G and an irreducible representation ρ of K , and it is equivalent to a category of unital left modules over the ρ -spherical Hecke algebra $\mathcal{H}(G, \rho)$.

Let N be an integer ≥ 2 , and G the general linear group $GL(N, F)$ over F . In Bushnell and Kutzko [2], such a pair (J, λ) , called a simple type, is constructed for $G = GL(N, F)$, and it is proved that it determines a pair (M, π) for G as above. For a parabolic subgroup P of G with Levi factor M ,

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pairs (J_P, λ_P) for G and (J_M, λ_M) for M are naturally obtained from (J, λ) . The pair (J_M, λ_M) is a supercuspidal type in M for the inertial class of (M, π) , and (J_P, λ_P) is a G -cover of (J_M, λ_M) . It follows from [3] that (J_P, λ_P) is a type in G for the inertial class of (M, π) . The Hecke algebra $\mathcal{H}(G, \lambda_P)$ is isomorphic to a certain affine Hecke algebra of type A.

Let G be a symplectic group $Sp_{2N}(F)$ over F with residue characteristic not 2, and P the Siegel parabolic subgroup of $G = Sp_{2N}(F)$ with Levi factor $M \simeq GL(N, F)$. From a given irreducible supercuspidal representation π_0 of $GL(N, F)$ that is self-dual, a type in G , indeed a G -cover, for the inertial class determined by (M, π_0) is constructed in Blondel [5]. These results are generalized to a general Levi subgroup of G under certain hypotheses, and the corresponding Hecke algebra is computed as a convolution algebra, in [6].

By using the result of [5], a certain cover (J_P, λ_P) is constructed for a Levi subgroup M of an unramified unitary group G , which is similar to the one of [6], in [13]. Independently of this result, this type is obtained from the general results of Stevens [19], in which it is implicit.

In this paper, for the type (J_P, λ_P) in the unramified unitary group G , it is proved that the Hecke algebra $\mathcal{H}(G, \lambda_P)$ is generic, i.e., there is an affine Weyl group \mathbf{W}_m with a set of generators $\{s_0, s_1, \dots, s_m\}$, for some positive integer m , such that the Hecke algebra $\mathcal{H}(G, \lambda_P)$ has a basis $\{T_w \mid w \in \mathbf{W}_m\}$ as a vector space over the field \mathbb{C} of complex numbers, where T_w is a function in $\mathcal{H}(G, \lambda_P)$ supported on a single double (J_P, J_P) -coset corresponding to $w \in \mathbf{W}_m$, and such that the following relations are satisfied: for $w \in \mathbf{W}_m$ and $i \in \{0, 1, \dots, m\}$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} T_w * T_{s_i} &= T_{ws_i}, & \text{if } \ell(ws_i) > \ell(w), \\ T_{s_i}^2 &= a_i T_{s_i} + b_i 1, & a_i, b_i \in \mathbb{C}, b_i \neq 0, \end{aligned}$$

where ℓ is the length function on \mathbf{W}_m .

The contents of this paper are as follows: In Section 1, we review briefly the results of [13], which are rewritten by the terminology of [19], and recall Proposition 1 of [6]. In Section 2, we define an auxiliary unitary group, and in Section 3, we observe the centralizer in G of a certain simple element of the $\text{Lie}(G)$. In Section 4, using the results of Sections 2 and 3, we calculate convolution products in the Hecke algebra $\mathcal{H}(G, \lambda_P)$ to obtain the above main result (Theorem 4.3).

1. A type for unramified p -adic unitary groups

1.1. Let F be a non-archimedean local field equipped with a galois involution $\bar{}$, with the fixed field F_0 . Let \mathfrak{o}_F and \mathfrak{p}_F be its maximal order and the maximal ideal of \mathfrak{o}_F , respectively, and $k_F = \mathfrak{o}_F/\mathfrak{p}_F$ the residue class field. Let ϖ_F be a uniformizer of F . We assume that the residual characteristic p is not 2 and that F/F_0 is unramified (possibly $F = F_0$).

Let N be an integer ≥ 4 . Let V be an N -dimensional vector space over F , and put $A = \text{End}_F(V)$. Let h be a non-degenerate anti-hermitian form on V over F/F_0 . We furthermore assume that the anisotropic part of V is zero. Then N must be even. Let $\bar{}$ be the adjoint (anti-)involution on A defined by the form h . Put $\tilde{G} = \text{Aut}_F(V) \simeq GL(N, F)$. We define γ to be the involution $x \mapsto \bar{x}^{-1}$ on \tilde{G} , and put $\Gamma = \{1, \gamma\}$.

We set $G = \tilde{G}^\Gamma = \{g \in \tilde{G} \mid h(gv, gw) = h(v, w) \text{ for all } v, w \in V\}$. Then G is a symplectic group over F if $F = F_0$, and is an unramified unitary group over F_0 if $F \neq F_0$. We write $G = U(V, h)$.

An \mathfrak{o}_F -lattice sequence in V is a function $\Lambda: \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \{\mathfrak{o}_F\text{-lattices in } V\}$ which satisfies (1) $n \geq m$ implies $\Lambda(n) \subset \Lambda(m)$, (2) there is a positive integer $e = e(\Lambda)$ (the \mathfrak{o}_F -period) such that $\Lambda(n+e) = \mathfrak{p}_F \Lambda(n)$ ($n \in \mathbb{Z}$). We say that a \mathfrak{o}_F -lattice sequence Λ is strict, if $\Lambda(n) \supsetneq \Lambda(n+1)$ ($n \in \mathbb{Z}$).

From an \mathfrak{o}_F -lattice sequence Λ in V , we obtain a filtration on A by

$$\mathfrak{a}_n = \mathfrak{a}_n(\Lambda) = \{x \in A \mid x\Lambda(k) \subset \Lambda(k+n) \ (k \in \mathbb{Z})\} \quad (n \in \mathbb{Z}).$$

We can define a ‘valuation’ ν_Λ on A by $\nu_\Lambda(x) = \sup\{n \in \mathbb{Z} \mid x \in \mathfrak{a}_n\}$ ($x \in A$), where we understand that $\nu_\Lambda(0) = \infty$. We note that if Λ is strict, then $\mathfrak{a}_n = \mathfrak{a}_n^\dagger$ ($n \in \mathbb{Z}, n > 0$).

From an \mathfrak{o}_F -lattice sequence Λ in V , we obtain a compact open subgroup $\tilde{P} = \tilde{P}(\Lambda) = \mathfrak{a}_0(\Lambda)^\times$ of \tilde{G} , equipped with a filtration $\tilde{P}_n = \tilde{P}_n(\Lambda) = 1 + \mathfrak{a}_n(\Lambda)$ ($n \in \mathbb{Z}$, $n > 0$).

For an \mathfrak{o}_F -lattice L in V , we define the *dual lattice* $L^\#$ by $L^\# = \{v \in V \mid h(v, L) \subset \mathfrak{p}_F\}$. An \mathfrak{o}_F -lattice sequence Λ in V is called *self-dual*, if there is an integer d such that $\Lambda(k)^\# = \Lambda(d - k)$ ($k \in \mathbb{Z}$). In this case, we can set $P = P(\Lambda) = \tilde{P}(\Lambda)^\Gamma$, a compact open subgroup of G , and $P_n = P_n(\Lambda) = \tilde{P}_n(\Lambda)^\Gamma$ ($n > 0$), a filtration on $P = P(\Lambda)$.

1.2. A 4-tuple $[\Lambda, n, 0, \beta]$ is called a *skew simple stratum* in A , if Λ is a self-dual \mathfrak{o}_F -lattice sequence in A , n is a positive integer, β is an element in A which satisfies $\bar{\beta} + \beta = 0$ and

- (1) the algebra $E = F[\beta]$ is a field;
- (2) Λ is an \mathfrak{o}_E -lattice sequence (denote it by $\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}$);
- (3) $v_\Lambda(\beta) = -n$;
- (4) $k_0(\beta, \Lambda) < 0$,

where \mathfrak{o}_E is the maximal order of E and $k_0(\beta, \Lambda)$ is the integer defined by [4, (5.1)].

Let $[\Lambda, n, 0, \beta]$ be a skew simple stratum in A , B the A -centralizer of β , and $E_0 = \{x \in E = F[\beta] \mid \bar{x} = x\}$, where $x \mapsto \bar{x}$ is the involution on E induced by the one on A defined in 1.1. Then by [8, 5.2], there is a non-zero F_0 -linear form $\ell : E \rightarrow F$ with $\ell(\bar{x}) = \ell(x)$ ($x \in E$), and a non-degenerate E/E_0 -skew-hermitian form \tilde{h}_β on V such that the two notions of lattice duality for \mathfrak{o}_E -lattices in V given by h and \tilde{h}_β coincide (cf. [19, 2.1]). Set $G_E = B^\times \cap G$. Then G_E is isomorphic to the unitary group of (V, \tilde{h}_β) , and we identify $G_E = U(V, \tilde{h}_\beta)$.

Definition 1.1. (Cf. Definition 2.4 of [13].) A skew simple stratum $[\Lambda, n, 0, \beta]$ in A is called *good*, if there is a skew simple stratum $[\Lambda', n', 0, \beta]$ in A satisfying the following conditions (1)–(4):

- (1) Λ' is strict and $\mathfrak{a}_0(\Lambda')$ is principal;
- (2) E/E_0 is unramified;
- (3) $R = \dim_E(V)$ is even;
- (4) there is an integer k such that $L = \Lambda'(k)$ satisfies $L^\# = \varpi_E L$, where ϖ_E is a uniformizer of E ,

and $\Lambda = 2\Lambda' - 1$ if $e = e(\Lambda'_{\mathfrak{o}_E})$ is even, $\Lambda = 2\Lambda'$ if e is odd, and $n = 2n'$.

In Definition 1.1, the simple stratum $[\Lambda', n', 0, \beta]$ in A coincides with $[\mathfrak{A}', n', 0, \beta]$, with $\mathfrak{A}' = \mathfrak{a}_0(\Lambda')$, in A of [2, (1.5.5)], and the \mathfrak{o}_F -lattice sequence Λ satisfies $\Lambda(k)^\# = \Lambda(1 - k)$ ($k \in \mathbb{Z}$) and $e(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) = 2e$, which satisfies the conditions of [19, p. 297].

Proposition 1.2. (See Proposition 2.7 of [13].) If the conditions (2), (3) and (4) in Definition 1.1 are satisfied, the anisotropic part of (V, \tilde{h}_β) is zero.

Assume that $[\Lambda, n, 0, \beta]$ is a good skew simple stratum in A , and set $e = e(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E})/2$. We denote by B the A -centralizer of β . We set $m = \lfloor e/2 \rfloor$ the least integer among integers $\geq e/2$, and $\mathfrak{b}_k = \mathfrak{a}_k \cap B$ ($k \in \mathbb{Z}$). Then we have an E -decomposition

$$V = \bigoplus_{j=-m}^m W^{(j)} \quad (1.1)$$

of V subordinate to the \mathfrak{o}_E -order $\mathfrak{B} = \mathfrak{b}_0$ in the sense of [2, (7.1.11)], where we set $j \neq 0$ if e is even.

We write $\tilde{P}(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) = \tilde{P}(\Lambda) \cap B^\times$ and $P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) = \tilde{P}(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) \cap G$.

Lemma 1.3. *The decomposition (1.1) has moreover the following properties:*

- (1) *each $W^{(j)}$ is an E -subspace of V of dimension R/e ;*
- (2) *$\Lambda(k) = \bigoplus_{j=-m}^m \Lambda^{(j)}(k)$ ($k \in \mathbb{Z}$), where $\Lambda^{(j)}(k) = \Lambda(k) \cap W^{(j)}$;*
- (3) *each $\tilde{P}(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}^{(j)})$ is a maximal self-dual \mathfrak{o}_E -order in $\text{Aut}_E(W^{(j)})$;*
- (4) *the orthogonal complement of $W^{(j)}$ in V is equal to $\bigoplus_{k \neq -j} W^{(k)}$;*
- (5) *there exist self-dual \mathfrak{o}_E -lattice sequences Λ^M and Λ^m in V such that*

$$\mathfrak{a}_0(\Lambda^m) \subset \mathfrak{a}_0(\Lambda) \subset \mathfrak{a}_0(\Lambda^M)$$

with $\mathfrak{b}_0(\Lambda^M)$ maximal and $\mathfrak{b}_0(\Lambda^m)$ minimal in B .

Proof. These parts except (5) follow immediately from [2, (5.5.2)] and [13, Proposition 2.7] (see also [19, 5.1]), and part (5) easily from part (4) in Definition 1.1. In fact, Λ^M and Λ^m can be easily produced from strict self-dual \mathfrak{o}_E -lattice sequences in V as in Definition 1.1 (cf. [2, (5.1.12)]). For Λ^M , we can choose \mathfrak{M}_1 which is defined in [19, 7.2.2]. \square

1.3. We assume that $[\Lambda, n, 0, \beta]$ is a good skew simple stratum in A , let $E = F[\beta]$ and B the A -centralizer of β . In [18, 3.2], we define a pair of \mathfrak{o}_F -orders $\mathfrak{H}(\beta, \Lambda) \subset \mathfrak{J}(\beta, \Lambda)$ of A , and obtain compact open subgroups $\tilde{H}(\beta, \Lambda) = \mathfrak{H}(\beta, \Lambda)^\times$ and $\tilde{J}(\beta, \Lambda) = \mathfrak{J}(\beta, \Lambda)^\times$ of \tilde{G} with normal subgroups $\tilde{H}^1(\beta, \Lambda) = \tilde{H}(\beta, \Lambda) \cap \tilde{P}_1(\Lambda)$ and $\tilde{J}^1(\beta, \Lambda) = \tilde{J}(\beta, \Lambda) \cap \tilde{P}_1(\Lambda)$, respectively.

We can set $H(\beta, \Lambda) = \tilde{H}(\beta, \Lambda) \cap G$, $H^1(\beta, \Lambda) = \tilde{H}^1(\beta, \Lambda) \cap G$, and similarly $J(\beta, \Lambda)$, $J^1(\beta, \Lambda)$.

Let θ be a skew simple character of $H^1(\beta, \Lambda)$, defined by [17, 3.2], that is, θ is the restriction of a simple character $\tilde{\theta}$ of $\tilde{H}(\beta, \Lambda)$ to $H(\beta, \Lambda)$, defined by [2, (3.2)], with $\tilde{\theta}^\gamma = \tilde{\theta}$. Then by [19, Proposition 3.5] there is a unique irreducible representation η of $J^1(\beta, \Lambda)$ such that η contains θ , and by [19, Definition 4.5] there is a β -extension κ of η to $J(\beta, \Lambda)$ relative to Λ^M . This definition is general. However for the underlying stratum $[\Lambda', n', 0, \beta]$ of $[\Lambda, n, 0, \beta]$ in Definition 1.1, it is proved by [13, Proposition 3.8] that the β -extension κ is intertwined by the whole $B^\times \cap G$. This property is analogous to that for $GL(N, F)$ of [2, (5.2.1)] and is stronger than that of [19, Corollary 4.6] in the general case (see the remarks below that corollary).

It follows from [13, 5.3] that for the integer $f = R/e$, there is a canonical isomorphism

$$J(\beta, \Lambda)/J^1(\beta, \Lambda) \simeq \begin{cases} GL(f, k_E)^m & \text{if } e \text{ is even,} \\ GL(f, k_E)^m \times U(f, k_{E_0}) & \text{if } e \text{ is odd,} \end{cases}$$

where $U(f, k_{E_0})$ is the unitary group of a non-degenerate k_E/k_{E_0} -skew-hermitian form of dimension f over k_E (cf. [19, 3.3 and Corollary 5.11]). Let τ_0 (resp. τ_1) be an irreducible cuspidal representation of $GL(f, k_E)$ (resp. $U(f, k_{E_0})$). We define an irreducible representation τ by $\tau = \tau_0^{\otimes m}$ if e is even, and by $\tau = \tau_0^{\otimes m} \otimes \tau_1$ if e is odd. Via this isomorphism, we lift τ to an irreducible representation, say again τ , of $J(\beta, \Lambda)$.

Form the β -extension κ above and this representation τ , we define a representation λ of $J(\beta, \Lambda)$ by

$$\lambda = \kappa \otimes \tau.$$

We call it a *simple type* (of positive level) in G attached to a good skew simple stratum $[\Lambda, n, 0, \beta]$ in A .

1.4. We assume that $[\Lambda, n, 0, \beta]$ is a good skew simple stratum in A . Let $E = F[\beta]$, and B the A -centralizer of β .

From the E -composition (1.1), we have a Levi subgroup \tilde{M} of \tilde{G} which is defined by the stabilizer of (1.1) in \tilde{G} . We set $M = \tilde{M} \cap G$. Then M is a Levi subgroup of G which is isomorphic to $\prod_{j=1}^m \text{Aut}_F(W^{(j)})$ if e is even, and to $(\prod_{j=1}^m \text{Aut}_F(W^{(j)})) \times G_0$ if e is odd, where G_0 is a unitary group of the same type as G . Let P be a parabolic subgroup of G such that elements of its unipotent radical, denoted by U , have upper triangular block form. Then $P = MU$.

By [13, Lemma 2.6], there is a canonical Witt basis \mathcal{V} of (V, \tilde{h}_β) (cf. [2, (5.5.1)]). Let \mathbf{W} be the affine Weyl group of $G_E = B^\times \cap G$ with respect to a maximal torus T_E defined by \mathcal{V} , and \mathbf{W}_m the normalizer of $\mathfrak{b}_0(\Lambda) \cap \tilde{M}$ in \mathbf{W} .

For an integer j ($1 \leq j \leq m$), we obtain the Weyl element s_j of \mathbf{W}_m by [19, 6.2], and define the involution σ_j on the factor $\text{Aut}_F(W^{(j)})$ of M by $\sigma_j(g) = s_j g (s_j)^{-1}$ for $g \in \text{Aut}_F(W^{(j)})$ following [19, 6.3]. This involution σ_j induces the one, denoted by $\bar{\sigma}_j$, on $GL(f, k_E)$. We say that the representation τ of $J(\beta, \Lambda)$ in 1.3 is *self-dual* if the factor τ_0 of $GL(f, k_E)$ satisfies $\tau_0 \simeq \tau_0 \circ \bar{\sigma}_j$.

By [2, (7.1.14)], the groups $H^1(\beta, \Lambda)$, $J^1(\beta, \Lambda)$, and $J(\beta, \Lambda)$ have Iwahori decompositions with respect to (M, P) (cf. [19, Corollary 5.10]), and so we have a compact open subgroup of G defined by $J_P = H^1(\beta, \Lambda)(J(\beta, \Lambda) \cap P)$. For the simple type λ in 1.3, we let λ_P be the natural representation of J_P on the space of $(J(\beta, \Lambda) \cap U)$ -fixed vectors in the representation space of λ .

Let $\mathcal{H}(G, \lambda)$ and $\mathcal{H}(G, \lambda_P)$ be the Hecke algebras of $(J(\beta, \Lambda), \lambda)$ and (J_P, λ_P) , respectively (cf. [2, Section 4]). We say that λ (resp. λ_P) is *self-dual* if its factor τ is self-dual. For our unitary group G , it follows easily from [19, 7.1] that if λ (resp. λ_P) is self-dual, functions of $\mathcal{H}(G, \lambda)$ (resp. $\mathcal{H}(G, \lambda_P)$) are all supported on \mathbf{W}_m , and that there is a canonical support-preserving isomorphism $\mathcal{H}(G, \lambda) \simeq \mathcal{H}(G, \lambda_P)$.

Theorem 1.4. (See Theorem 6.6 of [13].) Let $[\Lambda, n, 0, \beta]$ be a good skew simple stratum in A , and λ_P the representation of J_P obtained from a simple type $(J(\beta, \Lambda), \lambda)$ in G attached to $[\Lambda, n, 0, \beta]$. Then there is an irreducible supercuspidal representation, π_M , of M such that (J_P, λ_P) is an $[M, \pi_M]_G$ -type in G .

1.5. Let $[\Lambda, n, 0, \beta]$ be a good skew simple stratum in A , and λ_P be the representation of J_P obtained from a simple type $(J(\beta, \Lambda), \lambda)$ in G attached to $[\Lambda, n, 0, \beta]$.

In order to study the Hecke algebra $\mathcal{H}(G, \lambda_P)$ in 1.4, we recall the structure of the compact open subgroups $\tilde{H}^1(\beta, \Lambda)$, $\tilde{J}^1(\beta, \Lambda)$, and $\tilde{J}(\beta, \Lambda)$ of \tilde{G} obtained by [6].

Let $E = F[\beta]$, $e = e(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E})$, and B the A -centralizer of β . Let $m = \lfloor e/2 \rfloor$ as in 1.2. For the decomposition (1.1) of V as F -vector spaces, we rewrite $V_1 = W^{(-m)}$, $V_2 = W^{(-m+1)}$, \dots , $V_e = W^{(m)}$, and $\Lambda_1 = \Lambda^{(-m)}$, $\Lambda_2 = \Lambda^{(-m+1)}$, \dots , $\Lambda_e = \Lambda^{(m)}$, temporary. Then $V = \bigoplus_{i=1}^e V_i$ and $\Lambda(k) = \bigoplus_{i=1}^e \Lambda_i(k)$ ($k \in \mathbb{Z}$). Thus A is decomposed as follows

$$A = \coprod_{i,j} A^{ij}, \quad A^{ij} = \text{Hom}_F(V_j, V_i),$$

where i, j run through $\{1, \dots, e\}$. By Lemma 1.3, we can choose an \mathfrak{o}_E -basis \mathcal{V}_i of Λ_i in V_i appropriately, for each i ($1 \leq i \leq e$) (cf. [2, (1.1.7)]). We identify $\mathcal{V}_1 = \dots = \mathcal{V}_e$, and so $V_1 = \dots = V_e$. We write $W = V_i$ and $\Lambda_W = \Lambda_i$, for all i . Thus we can regard $A^{ij} = \text{End}_F(W)$ ($1 \leq i, j \leq e$).

By definition, we have $\tilde{M} = (\prod_i A^{ii}) \cap \tilde{G}$. We set $\mathbb{N} = \prod_{i < j} A^{ij}$, $\mathbb{N}_\ell = \prod_{i > j} A^{ij}$, $\tilde{U} = 1 + \mathbb{N}$, and $\tilde{U}_\ell = 1 + \mathbb{N}_\ell$. Let $\tilde{P} = \tilde{M}\tilde{U}$ and $\tilde{J}_{\tilde{P}} = \tilde{H}^1(\beta, \Lambda)(\tilde{J}(\beta, \Lambda) \cap \tilde{P})$ be the subgroup of \tilde{G} defined in [2, (7.2.17)] (cf. [19, 5.1]). Then we have $P = \tilde{P} \cap G$ and $J_P = \tilde{J}_{\tilde{P}} \cap G$.

Proposition 1.5.

- (i) The group $\tilde{J}_{\tilde{P}}$ has also an Iwahori decomposition with respect to (\tilde{M}, \tilde{P}) , which induces that of J_P in 1.4, and we have

$$\begin{aligned}\tilde{J}_{\tilde{P}} \cap \tilde{U}_{\ell} &= \tilde{H}^1(\beta, \Lambda) \cap \tilde{U}_{\ell} = 1 + (\mathfrak{H}^1(\beta, \Lambda) \cap \mathbb{N}_{\ell}), \\ \tilde{J}_{\tilde{P}} \cap \tilde{M} &= \mathfrak{J}^0(\beta, \Lambda) \cap \tilde{M}, \\ \tilde{J}_{\tilde{P}} \cap \tilde{U} &= \tilde{J}^1(\beta, \Lambda) = 1 + (\mathfrak{J}^1(\beta, \Lambda) \cap \mathbb{N}).\end{aligned}$$

(ii) Assume that $e = e(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E})/2 \geq 2$. Then we have

- (1) for $i \in \{1, \dots, e\}$, $\mathfrak{J}(\beta, \Lambda) \cap A^{ii} = \mathfrak{J}(\beta, \Lambda_W)$;
- (2) for $i, j \in \{1, \dots, e\}$ with $i > j$,

$$\begin{aligned}\mathfrak{J}(\beta, \Lambda) \cap A^{ij} &= \begin{cases} \mathfrak{H}^1(\beta, \Lambda_W) & \text{if } 1 \leq i - j \leq \lfloor e/2 \rfloor, \\ \varpi_E \mathfrak{J}(\beta, \Lambda_W) & \text{if } \lfloor e/2 \rfloor + 1 \leq i - j \leq e - 1, \end{cases} \\ \mathfrak{J}(\beta, \Lambda) \cap A^{ji} &= \begin{cases} \mathfrak{J}(\beta, \Lambda_W) & \text{if } 1 \leq i - j \leq \lceil e/2 \rceil - 1, \\ \varpi_E^{-1} \mathfrak{H}^1(\beta, \Lambda_W) & \text{if } \lceil e/2 \rceil \leq i - j \leq e - 1; \end{cases}\end{aligned}$$

(3) for $i, j \in \{1, \dots, e\}$ with $i > j$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}\mathfrak{H}^1(\beta, \Lambda) \cap A^{ij} &= \begin{cases} \mathfrak{H}^1(\beta, \Lambda_W) & \text{if } 1 \leq i - j \leq \lceil e/2 \rceil - 1, \\ \varpi_E \mathfrak{J}(\beta, \Lambda_W) & \text{if } \lceil e/2 \rceil \leq i - j \leq e - 1, \end{cases} \\ \mathfrak{J}^1(\beta, \Lambda) \cap A^{ji} &= \begin{cases} \mathfrak{J}(\beta, \Lambda_W) & \text{if } 1 \leq i - j \leq \lceil e/2 \rceil - 1, \\ \varpi_E^{-1} \mathfrak{H}^1(\beta, \Lambda_W) & \text{if } \lceil e/2 \rceil \leq i - j \leq e - 1. \end{cases}\end{aligned}$$

Proof. Part (i) follows from [2, (7.1.17)] and [19, 5.3], and part (ii) is a direct consequence of [6, Proposition 1 and Appendix]. \square

2. An auxiliary unitary group G_b

In order to calculate the support of convolution products in the Hecke algebra $\mathcal{H}(G, \lambda_P)$, we define an auxiliary unitary group G_b .

In this section, we assume that $[\Lambda, n, 0, \beta]$ is a good skew simple stratum in $A = \text{End}_F(V)$ with $e = e(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E})/2 \geq 2$. Let $E = F[\beta]$, $B = B_{\beta}$ A -centralizer of β , and $m = \lfloor e/2 \rfloor$. Associated with this β , we have the non-degenerate E/E_0 -anti-hermitian form \tilde{h}_{β} defined in 1.1. By [7, 23.9], we may assume that the form \tilde{h}_{β} is hermitian, and so do we hereafter. Let $V = \bigoplus_{j=-m}^m W^{(j)}$ be the E -decomposition (1.1) of V , with $\dim_E(W^{(j)}) = f$, for all j ($-m \leq j \leq m$). We choose a Witt basis \mathcal{V} for (V, \tilde{h}_{β}) as follows: We denote by \tilde{h}_{β}^j the restriction of \tilde{h}_{β} to the subspace $W^{(-j)} + W^{(j)}$ for $j \geq 0$. For $j \in \{1, \dots, m\}$, we choose an ordered \mathfrak{o}_E -basis $\mathcal{V}^{(j)} = \{v_1^j, \dots, v_f^j\}$ for the lattice $\Lambda^{(j)}(0)$ such that $\Lambda^{(j)}(0) = \mathfrak{o}_E v_1^j \oplus \dots \oplus \mathfrak{o}_E v_f^j$. We take the ordered basis $\mathcal{V}^{(-j)} = \{v_1^{-j}, \dots, v_f^{-j}\}$ of $W^{(-j)}$ for which $\tilde{h}_{\beta}^j(v_s^j, v_t^{-j}) = \delta_{s,t}$, where $\delta_{s,t}$ denotes the Kronecker delta. If e is odd, we choose a Witt E -basis $\mathcal{V}^{(0)}$ such that $\Lambda^{(0)}(k) = \bigoplus_v \mathfrak{p}_E^{n(k)} v$, for $n(k) \in \mathbb{Z}$, where v runs through $\mathcal{V}^{(0)}$. Here we note that f is even, since $R = ef$ is so (see Definition 1.1). Form $\mathcal{V} = \bigsqcup_{j=-m}^m \mathcal{V}^{(j)}$.

We set $I = \{\pm 1, \dots, \pm m\}$. Let $\tilde{I} = I$ if e is even, and $\tilde{I} = I \cup \{0\}$ if e is odd. Let V_b be an E -vector space with a (formal) basis $\{e_i \mid i \in \tilde{I}\}$, and define an E/E_0 -hermitian form h_b on V_b by

$$h_b(x, y) = \begin{cases} \sum_{i=1}^m (\bar{x}_i y_{-i} + x_{-i} \bar{y}_i) & \text{if } e \text{ is even,} \\ \bar{x}_0 y_0 + \sum_{i=1}^m (\bar{x}_i y_{-i} + x_{-i} \bar{y}_i) & \text{if } e \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$$

where $x = \sum_k x_k e_k \in V$, $x_k \in E$, \bar{x}_k denotes the E/E_0 -Galois conjugate of x_k , and similarly $y = \sum_k y_k e_k$. Then this form is clearly a non-degenerate E/E_0 -hermitian form. Denote by $G_b = U(V_b, h_b)$ the uni-

tary group of (V_b, h_b) over E_0 . Then $\{e_i \mid i \in \tilde{I}\}$ is the same notation as the canonical basis of V_b in [9, Section 10] and [20, 1.15].

From now on, we express elements of $B = \text{End}_E(V)$ in matrix form relative to the basis \mathcal{V} , and do so for $\text{End}_E(V_b)$ relative to the basis $\{e_i \mid i \in \tilde{I}\}$. To each $(g_{ij}) \in \text{End}_E(V_b)$ with $g_{ij} \in E$, we naturally associate a family of E -linear maps $v \mapsto g_{ij}v$ from $W^{(j)}$ to $W^{(i)}$, which is again denoted by $g_{ij}I_f$, that is, $(g_{ij}I_f) \in B = \text{End}_E(V)$, where I_f denotes the identity matrix of rank f . For $g = (g_{ij}) \in \text{End}_E(V_b)$, write

$$\varphi(g) = g \otimes I_f = (g_{ij}I_f) \in B = \text{End}_E(V).$$

So we get an injection

$$\varphi : \text{End}_E(V_b) \rightarrow B = \text{End}_E(V). \quad (2.1)$$

For the hermitian space (V, \tilde{h}_β) above, $G_E = B^\times \cap G$ is naturally isomorphic to the unitary group $U(V, \tilde{h}_\beta)$. Via this isomorphism, we identify $G_E = B^\times \cap G = U(V, \tilde{h}_\beta)$.

Lemma 2.1. *The injective map φ of (2.1) induces an injective homomorphism*

$$\varphi : G_b = U(V_b, h_b) \rightarrow G_E = U(V, \tilde{h}_\beta).$$

Proof. This follows immediately by definition (cf. [20, 1.15]). \square

We recall the structure of the unitary group G_b by [9, Section 10], [20, 1.15], [15, Section 9], and [13, 5.1]:

We define a subgroup S_b of G_b which consists of the elements $\text{Diag}(d_{-m}, \dots, d_m)$ with $d_i \in E_0^\times$, and with $d_{-i}d_i = 1$ ($i \in I$), if e is even, and with $d_{-i}d_i = d_0 = 1$ ($i \in I$), if e is odd. Denote by \mathbf{G}_b , \mathbf{S}_b the connected algebraic group generated by $G_{\mathfrak{S}}$, S_b over E_0 , respectively. Let \mathbf{Z}_b be the centralizer of \mathbf{S}_b in \mathbf{G}_b , and Z_b the group of E_0 -rational points in \mathbf{Z}_b .

For each i , we define a character $a_i : \mathbf{S}_b \rightarrow \mathbf{GL}_1$ by $a_i(\text{Diag}(d_{-m}, \dots, d_m)) = d_{-i}$, where \mathbf{GL}_1 denotes the multiplicative algebraic group defined over E_0 . Then the character group, $X(\mathbf{S}_b)$, of \mathbf{S}_b is a free \mathbb{Z} -module generated by a_1, \dots, a_r . In $X(\mathbf{S}_b)$, put $a_{ij} = a_i + a_j$ and $a_{-i} = -a_i$. We define a subset, Φ_b , of $X(\mathbf{S}_b)$ by

$$\Phi_b = \begin{cases} \{a_{ij} \mid i, j \in I, i \neq \pm j\} \cup \{2a_i \mid i \in I\} & \text{if } e \text{ is even,} \\ \{a_{ij} \mid i, j \in I, i \neq \pm j\} \cup \{a_i, 2a_i \mid i \in I\} & \text{if } e \text{ is odd.} \end{cases}$$

Then this is the root system of $(\mathbf{G}_b, \mathbf{S}_b)$.

For each $\alpha \in \Phi_b$, we define unipotent elements $x_\alpha(t) = 1 + (g_{k\ell})$ and $x_\alpha(t, u) = 1 + (g_{k\ell})$, $t, u \in E$, of G_b by

- (1) if $\alpha = a_{ij}$, for $t \in E$, $g_{-j,i} = -\tilde{t}$, $g_{-i,j} = t$ and all other $g_{k\ell} = 0$,
- (2) if $\alpha = 2a_i$, for $t \in E$ with $t + \tilde{t} = 0$, $g_{-i,i} = t$ and all other $g_{k\ell} = 0$,
- (3) if e is odd and $\alpha = a_i$, for $t, u \in E$ with $t\tilde{t} + u + \bar{u} = 0$, $g_{-i,0} = -\tilde{t}$, $g_{-i,i} = u$, $g_{0,i} = t$, and all other $g_{k\ell} = 0$.

Let $\Delta_b = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_r\}$ of Φ_b be a basis of Φ_b such that the corresponding root subgroups are upper triangular unipotent. Since E/E_0 is unramified, it follows from [20, 1.15] that the affine root system of G_b is given by $\tilde{\Phi}_b = \{\alpha + \gamma \mid \alpha \in \Phi_b, \gamma \in \mathbb{Z}\}$. Let α_0 be the maximal root relative to Δ_b . Then the set $\{\tilde{\alpha}_0 = 1 - \alpha_0, \tilde{\alpha}_i = \alpha_i \text{ for } i \in \{1, \dots, m\}\}$ form a basis, say $\tilde{\Delta}_b$, of $\tilde{\Phi}_b$.

For each $\tilde{\alpha}_i \in \tilde{\Delta}_b$, let $s_i = s_{\tilde{\alpha}_i}$ be the affine reflection associated with the affine root $\tilde{\alpha}_i$. Then G_b has an affine Weyl group \mathbf{W}_b with a set of generators $\{s_0, s_1, \dots, s_m\}$.

For the following argument, refer to [15, Section 9]. Let $X(\mathbf{Z}_b) = \text{Hom}(\mathbf{Z}_b, \mathbb{G}_m)$ be the character group of \mathbf{Z}_b , $\widehat{X}(\mathbf{Z}_b) = \text{Hom}(X(\mathbf{Z}_b), \mathbb{Z})$, and likewise for $\widehat{X}(\mathbf{S}_b)$. Then, since E/E_0 is unramified, we may identify $X(\mathbf{Z}_b) = X(\mathbf{S}_b) = \mathbb{Z}^m$. Denote by L this \mathbb{Z} -module. Let \mathbf{D}_b be the subgroup of \mathbf{Z}_b whose coefficients consist of elements of form ϖ_E^n for $n \in \mathbb{Z}$. Then we have $\mathbf{D}_b = \{\varpi_E^{\mathbf{n}} \mid \mathbf{n} \in L = \mathbb{Z}^m\}$, where for $\mathbf{n} = (n_1, \dots, n_m)$, $\varpi_E^{\mathbf{n}} = \text{Diag}(\varpi_E^{n_m}, \dots, \varpi_E^{n_1}, \varpi_E^{-n_1}, \dots, \varpi_E^{-n_m})$ if e is even, and likewise for odd e .

Let \langle, \rangle be the canonical pairing of $X(\mathbf{Z}_b) \times \widehat{X}(\mathbf{Z}_b)$. Then, for $a_i \in X(\mathbf{Z}_b) = X(\mathbf{S}_b)$, we have

$$a_i(\varpi_E^{\mathbf{n}}) = \varpi_E^{n_i} \in L = \widehat{X}(\mathbf{Z}_b) = \widehat{X}(\mathbf{S}_b).$$

Let \mathbf{N}_b be the normalizer of \mathbf{S}_b in \mathbf{G}_b , and denote by N_b the group of E_0 -rational points in \mathbf{N}_b . Let $Z_b^0 = \{\text{Diag}(d_{-m}, \dots, d_m) \in Z_b \mid d_i \in \mathfrak{o}_E^\times\}$. Then, since the derived subgroup of \mathbf{G}_b is simply-connected, \mathbf{W}_b is isomorphic to the quotient group N_b/Z_b^0 (cf. [20, 3.1]). Denote by $\mathbf{W}_{b,0}$ the subgroup of \mathbf{W}_b generated by $\{s_1, \dots, s_r\}$. Then this is a finite Weyl group, and we have $\mathbf{W}_b = \mathbf{D}_b \rtimes \mathbf{W}_{b,0}$ (semi-direct).

3. The group $G_E = B^\times \cap G$

We retain notation and assumptions in the previous Section 4.

Let \mathbf{W} be the affine Weyl group of $G_E = B^\times \cap G = U(V, \widetilde{h}_\beta)$ associated with the basis \mathcal{V} defined in Section 2, and \mathbf{W}_m the normalizer of $\mathfrak{b}_0 \cap \widetilde{M}$ in \mathbf{W} as in 1.4. Then, via the injective homomorphism φ in Lemma 2.1, we obtain $\mathbf{W}_b \simeq \mathbf{W}_m$. We set

$$\mathbf{D}_m = \varphi(\mathbf{D}_b) = \mathbf{D}_b \otimes I_f, \quad \mathbf{W}_{m,0} = \varphi(\mathbf{W}_{b,0}).$$

Then we have $\mathbf{W}_m = \mathbf{D}_m \rtimes \mathbf{W}_{m,0}$, and we may identify

$$\mathbf{D}_b = \mathbf{D}_m, \quad \mathbf{W}_{b,0} = \mathbf{W}_{m,0}, \quad \mathbf{W}_b = \mathbf{W}_m.$$

Moreover, we denote again by N_b the image $\varphi(N_b)$ in G_E .

From the E -decomposition (1.1) of V , the F -algebra $A = \text{End}_F(V)$ is decomposed into

$$A = \coprod_{i,j} \text{Hom}_F(W^{(j)}, W^{(i)}),$$

where i, j run through \widetilde{I} . Put $A_{ij} = \text{Hom}_F(W^{(j)}, W^{(i)})$.

Remark 3.1. For the elements $s_i \in \mathbf{W}_b = \mathbf{W}_m$ for $0 \leq i \leq m$ in the previous section, denote by $n_s \in N_b \subset G_E$ representatives for $s = s_i$. We choose s_m^w and s_{m-i} ($0 \leq i \leq m-1$) defined in [19, 6.2] as the representatives n_{s_0} and n_{s_i} ($1 \leq i \leq m$), respectively.

Let $i, j \in \widetilde{I}$. For a block matrix $T \in \text{Hom}_F(W^{(i)}, W^{(-j)})$, we have

$$h(Tv, w) = h(v, \sigma(T)w), \quad v \in W^{(i)}, w \in W^{(j)},$$

and $\sigma(T) \in \text{Hom}_F(W^{(j)}, W^{(-i)})$.

Definition 3.2. Let Φ_b be the root system of G_b defined in Section 2. For each $\alpha \in \Phi_b$, we define unipotent elements of $\widetilde{G} = A^\times$ in the block form as follows:

- (1) For $\alpha = a_{ij} \in \Phi_b$, $(T, T') \in A_{-i,j} \times A_{-j,i}$, set $\tilde{\chi}_{a_{ij}}(T, T') = 1 + y$, where $y_{-j,i} = T'$, $y_{-i,j} = T$ and all other block $y_{k\ell} = 0$.
- (2) For $\alpha = 2a_i \in \Phi_b$, $T \in A_{-i,i}$, set $\tilde{\chi}_{2a_i}(T) = 1 + y$, where $y_{-i,i} = T$ and all other block $y_{k\ell} = 0$.
- (3) For $\alpha = a_i \in \Phi_b$, $(T, T', T'') \in A_{i0} \times A_{i,-i} \times A_{0,-i}$, set $\tilde{\chi}_{a_i}(T, T', T'') = 1 + y$, where $y_{0,-i} = T''$, $y_{i,-i} = T'$, $y_{i0} = T$ and all other block $y_{k\ell} = 0$.

Lemma 3.3. *We have*

- (1) $\tilde{\chi}_{a_{ij}}(T, T') \in G \Leftrightarrow \sigma(T) + T' = 0$;
- (2) $\tilde{\chi}_{2a_i}(T) \in G \Leftrightarrow \sigma(T) + T = 0$;
- (3) $\tilde{\chi}_{a_i}(T, T', T'') \in G \Leftrightarrow \sigma(T) + T'' = 0$ and $T' + \sigma(T') + \sigma(T'')T'' = 0$.

Proof. For (1), let $x = \tilde{\chi}_{a_{ij}}(T, T')$. Then $x \in G$ if and only if $h(xv, xw) = h(v, w)$ for all $v, w \in V$. Let $v = \sum_k v_k$, $w = \sum_k w_k$, $v_k, w_k \in W^{(k)}$ ($k \in \tilde{I}$). By a simple calculation, we see that the above condition is equivalent to the following: For any $v_i, w_i \in W^{(i)}$ and any $v_j, w_j \in W^{(j)}$,

$$h(v_i, (\sigma(T) + T')w_j) + h(v_j, (\sigma(T') + T)w_i) = 0.$$

Thus this is equivalent to $\sigma(T) + T' = 0$, which complete the proof of (1). The condition (2) follows similarly.

For (3), let $x = \tilde{\chi}_{a_i}(T, T', T'')$. For $v = \sum_k v_k$, $w = \sum_k w_k \in V$ of (1), $x \in G$ if and only if, for any $v_0, w_0 \in W^{(0)}$ and any $v_{-i}, w_{-i} \in W^{(-i)}$, we have

$$h(v_0, (\sigma(T) + T'')w_{-i}) + h(v_{-i}, (\sigma(T'') + T)w_0) + h(v_{-i}, (T' + \sigma(T') + \sigma(T'')T'')w_{-i}) = 0.$$

This is clearly equivalent to $\sigma(T) + T'' = 0$ and $T' + \sigma(T') + \sigma(T'')T'' = 0$. The proof is completed. \square

Hereinafter, if $\tilde{\chi}_{a_{ij}}(T, T'), \tilde{\chi}_{a_i}(T, T', T'') \in G$, then we set

$$\begin{aligned}\tilde{\chi}_{a_{ij}}(T) &= \tilde{\chi}_{a_{ij}}(T, -\sigma(T)), \\ \tilde{\chi}_{a_i}(T, T') &= \tilde{\chi}_{a_i}(T, T', -\sigma(T)).\end{aligned}$$

An element w of $\mathbf{W}_b = \mathbf{W}_m$ can be uniquely written in the form $w = dw_0$, where $d = \varpi_E^n \in \mathbf{D}_b = \mathbf{D}_m$, $\mathbf{n} \in L = \mathbb{Z}^m$, and $w_0 \in \mathbf{W}_{b,0} = \mathbf{W}_{m,0}$. Moreover, we have $d = \varpi_E^n \otimes I_f$ in G_E , and we may set the representative n_{w_0} of w_0 in $N_b \subset G_E$ so that its block coefficients consist of $\pm I_f$ and 0. Thus

$$dn_{w_0} = (\varpi_E^n \otimes I_f)n_{w_0}$$

is a representative of $w = dw_0 \in \mathbf{W}_b = \mathbf{W}_m$ in $N_b \subset G_E$.

Proposition 3.4. *Let $w = dw_0 \in \mathbf{W}_b$ with $d = \varpi_E^n$, $\mathbf{n} \in L = \mathbb{Z}^m$, $w_0 \in \mathbf{W}_{b,0}$, and n_{w_0} be as above. Put $n_w = dn_{w_0}$. Then, for $\tilde{\chi}_\alpha(T), \tilde{\chi}_\alpha(T, T') \in G$ and $\alpha \in \Phi_b$,*

- (1) For $\alpha = a_{ij}, 2a_i$ ($i \in I$),

$$n_w \tilde{\chi}_\alpha(T) n_w^{-1} = \tilde{\chi}_{w_0(\alpha)}(\varpi_E^{(w_0(\alpha), \mathbf{n})} T_1);$$

where $T_1 = \pm \varpi_E^b T \varpi_E^{-b}$ for some integer b .

(3) For $\alpha = a_i$ ($i \in I$),

$$n_w \tilde{\chi}_\alpha(T, T') n_w^{-1} = \tilde{\chi}_{w_0(\alpha)}(\varpi_E^{\langle w_0(\alpha), \mathbf{n} \rangle} T_1, \varpi_E^{\langle w_0(2\alpha), \mathbf{n} \rangle} T'_1)$$

where $T_1 = \pm \varpi_E^b T \varpi_E^{-b}$ and $T'_1 = \pm \varpi_E^{b'} T \varpi_E^{-b'}$ for some integers b, b' .

Proof. For (1), let $\alpha = a_{ij} = a_i + a_j \in \Phi_b$ ($i \neq \pm j$), and $T \in A_{-i,j}$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} n_w \tilde{\chi}_{a_{ij}}(T) n_w^{-1} &= \tilde{\chi}_{w_0(a_{ij})}(\pm \varpi_E^{\langle w_0(a_i), \mathbf{n} \rangle} T \varpi_E^{\langle w_0(a_j), \mathbf{n} \rangle}) \\ &= \tilde{\chi}_{w_0(a_{ij})}(\varpi_E^{\langle w_0(a_{ij}), \mathbf{n} \rangle} T_1), \end{aligned}$$

where $T_1 = \pm \varpi_E^b T \varpi_E^{-b}$ with $b = \langle -w_0(a_j), \mathbf{n} \rangle$.

For $\alpha = 2a_i = a_i + a_i$, similarly.

(2) For $\alpha = a_i$, we remark that $w_0(\alpha) \in \{a_i \mid i \in I\}$, since n_{w_0} acts as the multiplication by ± 1 on V_0 . Similarly, we have

$$\begin{aligned} n_w \tilde{\chi}_{a_i}(T, T') n_w^{-1} &= \tilde{\chi}_{w_0(a_i)}(\epsilon_1 T \varpi_E^{\langle w_0(a_i), \mathbf{n} \rangle}, \epsilon_2 \varpi_E^{\langle w_0(a_i), \mathbf{n} \rangle} T' \varpi_E^{\langle w_0(a_i), \mathbf{n} \rangle}) \\ &= \tilde{\chi}_{w_0(a_i)}(\varpi_E^{\langle w_0(a_i), \mathbf{n} \rangle} T_1, \varpi_E^{\langle w_0(2a_i), \mathbf{n} \rangle} T'_1) \end{aligned}$$

where $\epsilon_i = \pm 1$ ($i = 1, 2$), $T_1 = \epsilon_1 \varpi_E^b T \varpi_E^{-b}$ with $b = \langle w_0(-a_i), \mathbf{n} \rangle$, and T'_1 similarly. The proof is completed. \square

Since \mathbf{W}_b and $\{s_0, s_1, \dots, s_r\}$ form a Coxeter system, as was seen in Section 2, the affine Weyl group \mathbf{W}_b has the length function ℓ_b .

Proposition 3.5. Suppose that $w = dw_0 \in \mathbf{W}_b$, $d = \varpi_E^{\mathbf{n}}$, $\mathbf{n} \in L = \mathbb{Z}^m$, and $w_0 \in \mathbf{W}_{b,0}$. Let $\ell_b(ws_0) > \ell_b(w)$. Then

$$\begin{cases} \varpi_E^{\langle w_0(-\alpha_0), \mathbf{n} \rangle} \in \mathfrak{o}_E & \text{if } w_0(-\alpha_0) < 0, \\ \varpi_E^{\langle w_0(-\alpha_0), \mathbf{n} \rangle} \in \mathfrak{p}_E^{-1} & \text{if } w_0(-\alpha_0) > 0. \end{cases}$$

Proof. (Cf. [12, Proposition 1.28].) It follows from [10, 1.6 Proposition] that

$$\ell_b(ws_i) > \ell_b(w) \iff w(\tilde{\alpha}_i) > 0.$$

Let $i = 0$. Since $\tilde{\alpha}_0 = 1 - \alpha_0$, we have

$$w(\tilde{\alpha}_0) = w(1 - \alpha_0) = 1 + \langle w_0(-\alpha_0), \mathbf{n} \rangle + w_0(-\alpha_0).$$

Thus, from [10, 1.4], $w(\tilde{\alpha}_0) > 0$ if and only if

$$\begin{cases} "w_0(-\alpha_0) < 0 \text{ and } 1 + \langle w_0(-\alpha_0), \mathbf{n} \rangle > 0" \text{ or,} \\ "w_0(-\alpha_0) > 0 \text{ and } 1 + \langle w_0(-\alpha_0), \mathbf{n} \rangle \geq 0". \end{cases}$$

This shows the proposition. \square

4. The Hecke algebra $\mathcal{H}(G, \lambda_P)$

In this section, assume that $[\Lambda, n, 0, \beta]$ is a good skew simple stratum in $A = \text{End}_F(V)$ with $2e = e(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) \geq 4$. Let (J_P, λ_P) be a self-dual simple type in G attached to $[\Lambda, n, 0, \beta]$, and \mathbf{W}_m the affine Weyl group with the basis $\{s_0, s_1, \dots, s_m\}$ which is the support of the Hecke algebra $\mathcal{H}(G, \lambda_P)$ (see 1.4).

Proposition 4.1. *The Hecke algebra $\mathcal{H}(G, \lambda_P)$ has a basis T_w , for $w \in \mathbf{W}_m$, as a \mathbb{C} -vector space such that $T_{s_0}, T_{s_1}, \dots, T_{s_m}$ satisfy the following quadratic relations:*

$$T_{s_i}^2 = a_i T_{s_i} + b_i 1, \quad a_i, b_i \in \mathbb{C}, \quad b_i \neq 0 \quad (4.1)$$

with $(a_i, b_i) = (q_E^f - 1, q_E^f)$ for $1 \leq i \leq m-1$. Note that the values of the parameters (a_0, b_0) and (a_m, b_m) are not determined.

Proof. By [13, Proposition 6.2], the Hecke algebra $\mathcal{H}(G, \lambda_P)$ has a basis T_w , for $w \in \mathbf{W}_m$, as a \mathbb{C} -vector space.

For the following facts, refer to [19, 7.2.2]. For $t = 0, 1$, we have the self-dual \mathfrak{o}_E -lattice sequence \mathfrak{M}_t in V and support-preserving injective algebra maps, ϕ_t ,

$$\mathcal{H}(P(\mathfrak{M}_{t, \mathfrak{o}_E}), \rho_t) \rightarrow \mathcal{H}(G, \lambda_P).$$

We remark $\mathfrak{M}_1 = \Lambda^M$, as in the proof of Lemma 1.3. By the choice of \mathfrak{M}_t , there exist $T_0 \in \mathcal{H}(P(\mathfrak{M}_{0, \mathfrak{o}_E}), \rho_0)$ and $T_1, \dots, T_m \in \mathcal{H}(P(\mathfrak{M}_{1, \mathfrak{o}_E}), \rho_1)$ such that $\phi_0(T_0) = T_{s_0}$ and $\phi_1(T_i) = T_{s_i}$ for $1 \leq i \leq m$, respectively. Thus [14, Theorem 7.12] shows the quadratic relations (4.1) for the T_s 's in the assertion.

We prove $(a_i, b_i) = (q_E^f - 1, q_E^f)$ for $1 \leq i \leq m-1$. We may assume $m = 2$ (then $e = 4$ or $e = 5$) and it is enough to see $(a_1, b_1) = (q_E^f - 1, q_E^f)$ for T_1 . Set $\bar{G} = GL(2f, k_E)$, $\bar{M} = GL(f, k_E) \times GL(f, k_E)$, and $D = \tau_0 \otimes \tau_0$. We denote by \bar{P} a maximal parabolic subgroup of \bar{G} with Levi component \bar{M} . By definition, $P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}^M)/P_1(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}^M)$ is isomorphic to a unitary group $U(ef, k_{E_0})$ (cf. [19, 3.3]). The group \bar{G} is naturally embedded into $P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}^M)/P_1(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}^M)$, and $\rho_1 = D$ or $\rho_1 = D \otimes \tau_1$. Thus we see that the subalgebra of $\mathcal{H}(P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}^M), \rho_1)$ generated by T_1 is isomorphic to $E(D) = \text{Ind}_{\bar{P}}^{\bar{G}}(D)$, and hence $(a_1, b_1) = (q_E^f - 1, q_E^f)$ follows from [11, (4.15)] (cf. [6, Proposition 6]). The proof is completed. \square

Let $[\Lambda^M, n_M, 0, \beta]$ be a skew semi-simple stratum in A with Λ^M in Lemma 3.1, and the β -extension κ in 1.3 be compatible with some β -extension κ_M of $J(\beta, \Lambda^M)$ in the sense of [19, Definition 4.5]. Write $J_M^t = J^t(\beta, \Lambda^M)$, for $t = 0, 1$. For the representation $\lambda = \kappa \otimes \tau$ of $J(\beta, \Lambda)$ in 1.3, we set $\lambda' = (\kappa_M|_{P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E})J_M^1}) \otimes \tau$, a representation of $P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E})J_M^1$ (cf. [2, (5.6.1)]). By [19, Proposition 7.1], there is a canonical algebra isomorphism

$$\mathcal{H}(G, \lambda') \simeq \mathcal{H}(G, \lambda_P) \quad (4.2)$$

which is support-preserving.

Let $\ell(w)$ be the length of an element w of \mathbf{W}_m . We remark that $\ell(w) = \ell_{\mathfrak{b}}(w)$ via the identification $\mathbf{W}_m = \mathbf{W}_{\mathfrak{b}}$.

Proposition 4.2. *Let $w \in \mathbf{W}_m$, $s = s_i$, for $i \in \{0, 1, \dots, m\}$, and n_w, n_s be these representatives in $N_{\mathfrak{b}}$ as in Remark 3.1. Let T_w be a function in $\mathcal{H}(G, \lambda_P)$ supported on $J_P n_w J_P$. If $\ell(ws) > \ell(w)$, then $T_w * T_s$ is supported on $J_P n_w n_s J_P$.*

Proof. Assume that $\ell(ws) > \ell(w)$. We will prove

$$J_P n_W J_P n_s J_P = J_P n_W n_s J_P. \quad (4.3)$$

We have a canonical bijection

$$J_P \setminus J_P n_s J_P \simeq J_P / (J_P \cap n_s J_P n_s^{-1}).$$

Denote by Θ the complete system of representatives of the right-hand side. Then we have $J_P n_s J_P = \bigcup_{k \in \Theta} k n_s J_P$, and

$$J_P n_W J_P n_s J_P = \bigcup_{k \in \Theta} J_P n_W k n_s^{-1} n_W n_s J_P.$$

For each $k \in \Theta$, it is enough to show $n_W k n_s^{-1} \in J_P$ (cf. [12, Proposition 2.8]). This method is valid only for $s = s_0$.

(I) Assume $s = s_0$. Write $n_0 = n_{s_0}$ in Remark 3.1. We first remark that the action on the blocks A^{ij} of $A = \coprod_{i,j} A^{ij}$ in 1.5 by the conjugation $x \mapsto n_0 x n_0^{-1}$ is described as follows: $A^{i1} \rightarrow A^{ie}$: $x \mapsto x \varpi_E^{-1}$ ($1 < i < e$), $A^{e1} \rightarrow A^{1e}$: $x \mapsto -\varpi_E^{-1} x \varpi_E^{-1}$, $A^{ej} \rightarrow A^{1j}$: $x \mapsto \varpi_E^{-1} x$ ($1 < j < e$), and it is trivial on the other A^{ij} , and that $\mathfrak{J}^0(\beta, \Lambda_W) \subset \varpi_E^{-1} \mathfrak{H}^1(\beta, \Lambda_W)$ by [5, 2.1]. From this remark and Proposition 1.5, by using elementary row and column operations, we can choose $k \in \Theta$ in the following form: If e is even, $k = \tilde{x}_{-\alpha_0}(T)$ with $T \in \varpi_E \mathfrak{J}^0(\beta, \Lambda_W) / \varpi_E \mathfrak{H}^1(\beta, \Lambda_W)$, and if e is odd, $k = \tilde{x}_{-\alpha_0/2}(T, T')$ with $T \in \mathfrak{H}^1(\beta, \Lambda_W) / \varpi_E \mathfrak{J}^0(\beta, \Lambda_W)$, $T' \in \varpi_E \mathfrak{J}^0(\beta, \Lambda_W) / \varpi_E \mathfrak{H}^1(\beta, \Lambda_W)$. Here we remark $k \in J_P \cap U_\ell$.

We now assume that e is odd. For $w \in \mathbf{W}_m = \mathbf{W}_b$, let $w = d w_0$, with $d = \varpi_E^n$, $\mathbf{n} \in L = \mathbb{Z}^m$, and with $w_0 \in \mathbf{W}_{m,0}$. Then, by Proposition 3.4, we have

$$n_W k n_W^{-1} = \tilde{x}_{w_0(-\alpha_0/2)}(\varpi_E^{\langle w_0(-\alpha_0/2), \mathbf{n} \rangle} T_1, \varpi_E^{\langle w_0(-\alpha_0), \mathbf{n} \rangle} T'_1).$$

By definition, $T_1 \in \mathfrak{H}^1(\beta, \Lambda_W)$ and $T'_1 \in \varpi_E \mathfrak{J}^0(\beta, \Lambda_W)$.

(1) Let $w_0(-\alpha_0/2) < 0$. Then $w_0(-\alpha_0) < 0$, and by Proposition 3.5, we have $\varpi_E^{\langle w_0(-\alpha_0), \mathbf{n} \rangle} \in \mathfrak{o}_E$ and $\varpi_E^{\langle w_0(-\alpha_0/2), \mathbf{n} \rangle} \in \mathfrak{o}_E$. Thus $\varpi_E^{\langle w_0(-\alpha_0), \mathbf{n} \rangle} T_1 \in \mathfrak{H}^1(\beta, \Lambda_W)$ and $\varpi_E^{\langle w_0(-\alpha_0/2), \mathbf{n} \rangle} T'_1 \in \varpi_E \mathfrak{J}^0(\beta, \Lambda_W)$. Hence, from the block form of J_P in Proposition 1.5, we can see that $n_W k n_W^{-1} \in J_P$.

(2) Next, let $w_0(-\alpha_0/2) > 0$. Then $w_0(-\alpha_0) > 0$. Again by Proposition 3.5, we have $\varpi_E^{\langle w_0(-\alpha_0), \mathbf{n} \rangle} \in \mathfrak{p}_E^{-1}$. So $\varpi_E^{\langle w_0(-\alpha_0/2), \mathbf{n} \rangle} \in \mathfrak{o}_E$. Thus we have

$$\varpi_E^{\langle w_0(-\alpha_0/2), \mathbf{n} \rangle} T_1 \in \mathfrak{H}^1(\beta, \Lambda_W) \quad \text{and} \quad \varpi_E^{\langle w_0(-\alpha_0), \mathbf{n} \rangle} T'_1 \in \mathfrak{J}^0(\beta, \Lambda_W).$$

Similarly Proposition 1.5 shows $n_W k n_W^{-1} \in J_P$.

The assertion in the case of even e is proved in the calculation of the term T' above.

(II) Let $s = s_i$, $i \in \{1, \dots, m\}$. In this case, we can never take a representative k in Θ so that $k \in J_P \cap U_\ell$ or $k \in J_P \cap U$, as above. So we cannot use the method of (I). However, fortunately, we can generalize the method of [2, (5.6.11)] for $GL(N, F)$ to G . Via the isomorphism (4.2), we pass to the representation $\lambda' = (\kappa_M | P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) J_M^1) \otimes \tau$ of $P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) J_M^1$. Thus, in order to prove (4.3), it is enough to prove

$$P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) J_M^1 n_W P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) J_M^1 n_s P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) J_M^1 = P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) J_M^1 n_W n_s P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) J_M^1.$$

Since $P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E})$ and $n_s = n_{s_i}$, with $i \in \{2, \dots, m\}$, are both contained in $P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}^M)$, these normalize J_M^1 . Hence the left-hand side is equal to

$$P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E})J_M^1 n_w P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) n_s P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) J_M = \bigcup_v P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) J_M^1 n_v P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) J_M^1,$$

where $v \in \mathbf{W}_m$, and n_v denotes its a representative in N_b . By [2, (1.6.1)] and [16, Theorem 2.3], we have

$$P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) J_M^1 n_w P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) n_s P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) J_M^1 \cap B^\times = P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) n_w P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) n_s P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}).$$

Hence it is enough to prove that $n_w P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) n_s \subset P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) n_w n_s P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E})$.

For $\tilde{\Phi}_b \supset \tilde{\Delta}_b$ in Section 2, write $\alpha = \tilde{\alpha}_i = \alpha_i \in \tilde{\Delta}_b$. Then $s = s_\alpha$. Let $\tilde{\Phi}_b^+$ be the subset of positive roots in $\tilde{\Phi}_b$ spanned by $\tilde{\Delta}_b$. We have $s(\alpha) = -\alpha$ and $s(\tilde{\Phi}_b^+ - \{\alpha\}) \subset \tilde{\Phi}_b^+$. For $w \in \mathbf{W}_m$, set $\tilde{\Gamma}_w = \{\beta \in \tilde{\Phi}_b^+ \mid w(\beta) < 0\}$. Then it is well known that $\ell(w)$ is equal to $\#(\tilde{\Gamma}_w)$, the cardinality of the set $\tilde{\Gamma}_w$. The assumption $\ell(ws) > \ell(w)$ is equivalent to $w(\alpha) > 0$, as in the proof of Proposition 3.5. Hence $\alpha \notin \tilde{\Gamma}_w$, but $\alpha \in \tilde{\Gamma}_{ws}$. We have $s(\tilde{\Gamma}_w) \subset \tilde{\Gamma}_{ws}$. It follows that

$$\tilde{\Gamma}_{ws} = s(\tilde{\Gamma}_w) \sqcup \{\alpha\}. \quad (4.4)$$

This implies $\ell(ws) = \ell(w) + 1$ (cf. [10, 1.5]). We have an Iwahori–Bruhat decomposition $G_E = P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}^m) \mathbf{W} P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}^m)$ of G_E . Denote by ℓ_m the length function of the affine Weyl group \mathbf{W} (cf. [13, 5.1]). Let $\tilde{\Phi}_E \supset \tilde{\Delta}_E$ be the root system of G_E and the basis with respect to the maximal E_0 -torus defined by the basis $\mathcal{V} = \{e_i \mid i \in \tilde{I}\}$ in Section 2. We have $\mathbf{W}_m = \mathbf{W}_b \subset \mathbf{W}$. So we can define $\Gamma_w = \{a \in \tilde{\Phi}_E^+ \mid w(a) < 0\}$ for $w \in \mathbf{W}_m$ like $\tilde{\Gamma}_w$. Then the equality (4.4) also shows $\#(\Gamma_{ws}) = \#(\Gamma_w) + \#(\Gamma_s)$. Hence we obtain

$$\ell_m(ws) = \ell_m(w) + \ell_m(s). \quad (4.5)$$

Let $\tilde{M}_b = \mathfrak{b}_0 \cap \tilde{M}$ be as before, and set $M_b = \tilde{M}_b \cap G$. Then $M_b = P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) \cap M$ and $P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) = M_b P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}^m)$. Since the group $\mathbf{W}_m = \mathbf{W}_b$ normalizes M_b . It thus follows from (4.5) that

$$\begin{aligned} n_w P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) n_s &= n_w M_b P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}^m) n_s = M_b n_w P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}^m) n_s \\ &\subset M_b P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}^m) n_w n_s P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}^m) \subset P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}) n_w n_s P(\Lambda_{\mathfrak{o}_E}). \end{aligned}$$

The proof is completed. \square

We are now ready to state the main theorem as follows:

Theorem 4.3. *Let notation and assumptions be as above. Then the Hecke algebra $\mathcal{H}(G, \lambda_P)$ is generic, that is, it has a basis T_w , for $w \in \mathbf{W}_m$, as a \mathbb{C} -vector space, that satisfy the following multiplication relations: For $w \in \mathbf{W}_m$ and $i \in \{0, 1, \dots, m\}$, we have $T_w * T_{s_i} = T_{ws_i}$ if $\ell(ws_i) > \ell(w)$, and*

$$T_{s_i}^2 = a_i T_{s_i} + b_i 1, \quad a_i, b_i \in \mathbb{C}, \quad b_i \neq 0$$

with $(a_i, b_i) = (q_E^f - 1, q_E^f)$ for $i \in \{1, \dots, m-1\}$.

Proof. Let $w \in \mathbf{W}_m$. If $w = s_{i_1} \cdots s_{i_d}$ is a reduced expression, by Proposition 4.2, we inductively obtain $T_w = T_{s_{i_1}} * \cdots * T_{s_{i_d}}$. Hence $\mathcal{H}(G, \lambda_P)$ is an associative \mathbb{C} -algebra generated by T_{s_i} , for $i \in \{0, 1, \dots, m\}$. The quadratic relations have been seen above. \square

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